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REMARKS

No claims are amended or cancelled. No claim listing is necessary. Claims 1-51 are pending in the application.

Double Patenting Rejection


Claims 1-51 of the present application are rejected under the judicially created doctrine of double patenting. Applicant encloses a Terminal Disclaimer disclaiming any term of a patent issuing on the present application that would extend beyond U.S. Patent Numbers 5,982,139, 6,114,259, and 6,792,259.

Upon entry of the enclosed Terminal Disclaimer, Applicant believes claims 1-51 of the present application are in condition for allowance.

For all the foregoing reasons, allowance of all pending claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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